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**UTILITY PATENT
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of Michael D. Laufer for METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR TREATING SMOOTH MUSCLES IN THE WALLS OF BODY CONDUITS.

Also enclosed are:

4 sheet(s) of [] formal informal drawing(s);

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CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$790.00
Total Claims	49	MINUS 20 =	29	x \$22.00	\$638.00
Independent Claims	9	MINUS 3 =	6	x \$82.00	\$492.00
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Total Application Fee					\$1,920.00
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TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE					\$1,920.00

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Respectfully submitted,

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